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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

July 2, 2002

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reply to Restriction/Election Requirement in the above-identified application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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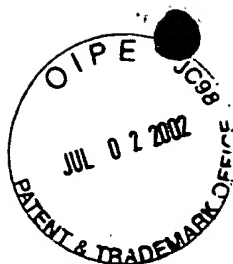
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RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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July 2, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Restriction Requirement dated June 18, 2002, the following election and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Applicants hereby elect Group I consisting of claims 1-22 for initial examination in this application. This election is with traverse.

REMARKS

Applicants thank the Examiner for the thorough consideration given the present application. Claims 1-33 are currently being prosecuted. The Examiner